S. No.	Name of the State/UTs	1994-95	1995-96 (upto November 1995)
15.	Meghalaya	333.720	82.80
16.	Mizoram	280.415	141.44
17.	Nagaland	467.620	115.26
18.	Orissa	1096.320	647.24
19.	Punjab	762.480	530.72
20.	Rajasthan	1972.640	1311.89
21.	Sikkim	22.030	54.78
22.	Tamil Nadu	1418.405	1679.67
23.	Tripura	237.845	152.25
24.	Uttar Pradesh	7287.725	4096.35
25.	West Bengal	3648.905	2094.20
	Misc.		10.64
26.	Delhi	603.005	264.73
27.	Pondicherry	105.825	51.10
28.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands		37.20
29.	Chandigarh	36.91	27.98
30.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	16.29	11.74
31.	Daman & Diu	21.43	22.66
32.	Lakshadweep	18.19	9.22
33.	R.K. Mission	17.85	
	Total	43499.00	22519.46

Profit and Losses of NSC

2751. SHRI MOHAN BABU: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state;

(a) the profit and losses of National Seeds Corporation during the year 1994-95;

(b) the profits or losses incurred by National Seeds Corporation in Andhra Pradesh for the same period;

(c) whether the managment of National Seeds Corporation has to be toned up in Andhra Pradesh; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ARVIND NETAM): (a) and (b) National Seeds Corporation (NSC) Limited, a public sector undertaking under the control of Ministry of Agriculture has suffered a net loss of Rs. 186.55 lakhs during 1994-95. Region/unitwise profit/loss account including Andhra Pradesh is not maintained.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Question does not arise.

Overcharging of prices of drugs

2752. SHRI H. HANUMANTHAPPA: Will the Minister of CHEMICLAS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that leading producer of Rifampicin and Ethambutol alongwith Krupp Traders having tie up with this producer overcharged directly or indirectly the prices of the two drugs during 1989 to 1991;

(b) whether it is a fact that instead of fully investigating the matter the central Government as well as FDA, Maharashtra to whom this case was referred closed the matter;

(c) the full facts and the reasons for closing the matter; and

(d) the steps being taken to initiate full verficiation of records and investigation of the matter?

THE MINISTER OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI RAM LAKHAN SINGH YADAV): (a) Information available indicates the case for over-charging.

(b) The Central Government has not closed the matter.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) The steps taken *inter-alia* are:—(1) Issue of notices (2) Collection of data and information from the defaulting companies and from the purchasers of the drugs.

आयल पाम की खेती के अंतर्गत क्षेत्र

2753. श्री मूलचन्द मीणा:
श्री अजीत जोगी:

क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या सरकार ने आयल पाम की खेती के अंतर्गत और अधिक क्षेत्रों को शामिल करने के संबंध में विचार किया है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इस संबंध में क्या कदम उठाये जाने का विचार है;

(ग) क्या मध्य प्रदेश सरकार ने राज्य में आयल पाम की खेती के विस्तार और विकास के लिये कोई प्रस्ताव भेजा है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है और उस पर सरकार की क्या प्रतिक्रिया है?

कृषि मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री मोहम्मद अयूब खान): (क) देश में आयल पाम की खेती के लिए कुल लगभग 7.96 लाख हैक्टेयर क्षेत्र चिन्हित किया गया है। आयल पाम विकास कार्यक्रम के अन्तर्गत चिन्हित राज्यों में आठवीं योजना (1992—97) के दौरान, 80,000 हैक्टेयर क्षेत्र आयल पाम के अन्तर्गत लाया जा रहा है।

(ख) आयल पाम विकास कार्यक्रम के अन्तर्गत, आयल पाम की खेती करने वाले किसानों को रोपण सामग्री आदानों तथा ड्रिप सिंचाई प्रणाली के अधिष्ठापन के लिए राजसहायता दी जाती है। आयल पाम की खेती करने वाले किसानों को केन्द्रीय बागान फसल अनुसंधान संस्थान, पैलोड (केरल) और आंध्र प्रदेश तथा कर्नाटक में सुस्थापित बागानों में प्रशिक्षण भी दिया जाता है।

(ग) जी नहीं।

(घ) प्रश्न ही नहीं होता।

Decentralising the Marketing System of SAIL

2754. SHRI JIBON ROY:
SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government are contemplating to dismantle the Central Marketing Organisation of SAIL and decentralising the marketing system under the direct control of the Chairman SAIL and the Ministry of Steel; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.

Move to Shift Potato Research Centre

2755. SHRI RATNA BAHADUR RAI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there was a move on the part of the Central Government to shift the Potato Research Centre from Darjeeling in West Bengal to else-where;

(b) if so, the reasons therefore; and

(c) whether Government has decided not to shift the same from its present place?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MOHD. AYUB KHAN): (a) No, Sir.